REMARKS

Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment

This amendment corrects deficiencies cited in the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 12, 2008. In particular, in the <u>Amendments In the Claims</u> section, MPEP 714.02 requires the applicant to reply to every ground of objection and rejection in the prior Office Action. However, 35 U.S.C. 101 rejection of claim 64 was not replied to. Applicants have cancelled claim 64.

CONCLUSION

Applicants submit that all claims are now in condition for allowance, and an early notice to that effect is earnestly solicited. Nonetheless, should any issues remain that might be subject to resolution through a telephonic interview, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned.

If any extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) are required in order for this submission to be considered timely, Applicant hereby petitions for such extensions. Applicant also hereby authorizes that any fees due for such extensions or any other fee associated with this submission, as specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17, be charged to deposit account 502306.

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